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(54) PRODUCTION OF HIGH-PROTEIN DRIED FOOD FROM BEER CAKE AS STOCK

(57)Abstract:

PURPOSE: To economically obtain in high yield a good-quality high-protein dried food by using beer cake as stock.

CONSTITUTION: This dried food is obtained by the following consecutive processes: beer cake with the water content adjusted to  $\geq 65\text{wt.}\%$  is subjected to flaking crushing; water is added to the resultant crushed product into an aqueous slurry 3-5wt.% in solid concentration; the slurry is classified by using a 30 to 60-mesh sieve; the component passed through the sieve is left at rest; the resultant concentrated aqueous slurry containing 1-2wt.% of a high-protein material is dehydrated; and the resultant dehydrated product is subjected to such a high-speed drying process as to be brought into contact with hot air and kept at  $\leq 100^\circ\text{C}$  on average and brought to a moisture content of  $\leq 10\text{wt.}\%$  within 60s.

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